

CLASSIFICATION OFFICE DECISION

Title of publication:

a2kh83ngfc8o0osc20520707_1398588813570816_5998766004686028800_n.mp4

Other known title(s): Not stated

OFLC ref: 1900110.002

Medium: Video File

Maker: Not stated

Country of origin: Not stated

Language: Not stated

Applicant: New Zealand Defence Force Military Police

Classification:	Objectionable.
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Excisions: No excisions recommended

Descriptive note: None

Display conditions: None

Date of entry in Register: 21 June 2019

Date of direction to issue a label: No direction to issue a label has been issued

Date of notice of decision: 21 June 2019

	Components	Running time
Feature(s):	a2kh83ngfc8o0osc20520707_1398588813570816_5998766004686028800_n.mp4	0:38
Total running time:		0:38

Summary of reasons for decision:

The video file depicts a woman involving a dog in a sexual act. It is deemed to be objectionable because it promotes and supports bestiality under s3(2)(e) of the Films, Videos, and Publications Classification Act 1993. The only likely purpose of the image is to titillate or arouse adults with a sexual interest in animals and in women having sex with animals. The classification interferes with the right to freedom of expression set out in the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990. However, this

is an outcome that is consistent with Parliament's clear intention to prevent the availability of publications that promote and support the crime of bestiality.